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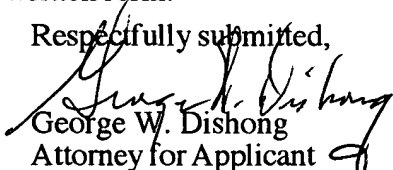
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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL FORMAL DRAWINGS

Applicant is transmitting herewith for filing the Six (6) sheets of formal drawings for the above referenced patent application. In the Notice of Allowability dated May 04, 2004 it was noted that the drawings (sheets 1 - 6) filed 16 January 2002 and 31 October, 2003 were accepted. The REPLACEMENT SHEETS of drawing sheets 1 - 6 have not been changed substantively but changed only to provide more formal form - sheet numbers changed from **#/5 to #/6**, i.e., **1/5** is now **1/6** etc. and includes Fig. 9 as **6/6**. Additionally a few element numbers such as 24, 221 and several others have been formalized to drafted form from written form.

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